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First Named Inventor: CINADER, DAVID K. JR.

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SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION DATA SHEET TO CORRECT INVENTOR'S NAME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The Application Data Sheet being submitted herewith is being filed to correct a typographical error in one of the inventor's name.

In the application papers originally filed (including the Declaration and the Transmittal sheet) the first named inventor was identified as <u>David K. Cinader</u>, whereas the correct spelling of the name of this inventor is <u>David K. Cinader</u>, Jr.

Correction of the Office records is courteously requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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